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Inventor: George Michael Hey

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR RATE ADAPTATION CONTROL

Enclosures:

- ☒ Specification (pages 1- 11); claims (pages 12-19); abstract (page 20)
 - ☒ EIGHT sheet(s) of FORMAL drawings
 - ☒ Declaration or Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
 - ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
 - ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
 - ☐ Incorporation by Reference--The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
 - ☐ Deletion of Inventors (signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b))
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- ☒ Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i) for Nonpublication

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| For | Number Filed | Number Extra | Rate | Basic Fee |
| Total Claims | 57-20 | 37 | x \$ 18 = | \$ 740 |
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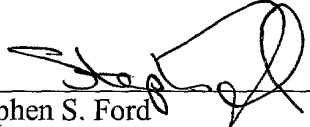


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